

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON

APPROVAL OF INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN LEWIS COUNTY AND THE  
CITY OF CENTRALIA FOR ON CALL, BACK UP  
WATER TREATMENT PLANT OPERATOR

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) RESOLUTION NO. 11- 200  
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**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners has reviewed an Interlocal Agreement between Lewis County, Washington, and the City of Centralia, copies of which are attached to this resolution; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Centralia has equipment and personnel to provide back-up Vader Water Treatment Operator services to Lewis County on an on-call basis in the event that Lewis County may not have sufficient personnel/equipment to accomplish said work; and

**WHEREAS**, this Interlocal Agreement shall remain in full force and effect until terminated, with 30 days written notice, by either party; and

**WHEREAS**, it appears to be in the best public interest to authorize the execution of said Interlocal Agreement for Lewis County.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the aforesaid Interlocal Agreement is hereby approved and the Board of County Commissioners is authorized to sign the same.

DONE IN OPEN SESSION this 20th day of June, 2011

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Jonathan L Meyer, Prosecuting Attorney

By: Civil Deputy

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LEWIS COUNTY, WASHINGTON

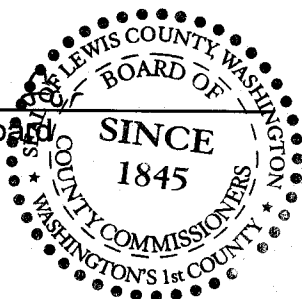
Ron Averill, Chairman

F. Lee Grose, Vice Chairman

P.W. Schulte, Member

ATTEST:

Karri Muir, Clerk of the Board



## INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT

### Between Lewis County and the City of Centralia for Vader Back-Up Water Treatment Operator

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into pursuant to authority of RCW 39.34.080 and in conformance with RCW 43.09.210, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 2011, by and between LEWIS COUNTY, Washington, a political subdivision of the State of Washington, hereinafter referred to as the "County" and the City of Centralia, a municipal corporation hereinafter referred to as the "City",

WITNESSETH:

IT IS HEREBY COVENANTED AND AGREED as follows:

1. During the term of this agreement the County requests that the City provide if available, an on-call, back-up Water Treatment Plant Operator services upon the absence of the regular employee designated to perform the duties of Vader Water Treatment Plant (reimbursement is covered under #7).
2. The City will provide all necessary labor and all work incidentals to a back-up operator to perform the operator functions set out in Attachment "A" .
3. The City agrees to operate and maintain the water treatment and intake facilities in accordance with all county, state and federal safety procedures and regulations.
4. The City will ensure the back-up Water Treatment Plan Operator has the required WTPO II certification or works under the supervision of a certified WTPO II.
5. All persons assigned by City to undertake work required or anticipated by this Agreement shall remain the sole and exclusive employees of City, at all times and for all purposes.
6. The County shall defend, indemnify and hold the City, its officers, officials, employees and volunteers harmless from any and all claims, injuries, damages, losses or suits including attorney fees, arising out of or in connection with the performance of this Agreement, except for injuries and damages caused by the sole negligence of the City.

7. For such on-call services the County hereby agrees to reimburse the City for all work completed based upon the City's actual cost and administrative costs incurred. The City shall maintain a complete record of all hours worked and miscellaneous costs expended on behalf of the County and shall submit billings to the County the following month after the service(s) is performed.
8. This agreement shall be effective from the date of execution and shall be in full force and effect until terminated by either party. Termination may be made by either party at its convenience with 30 days notice.


IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this agreement was executed by the parties on the date first herein above recited.

CITY OF CENTRALIA,  
WASHINGTON,  
a municipal corporation

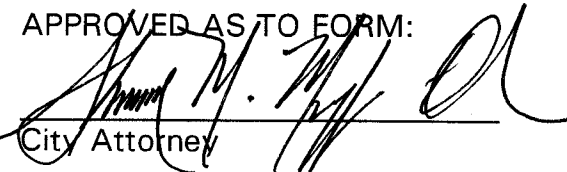
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Lewis County, Washington


  
Rob Hill, City Manager

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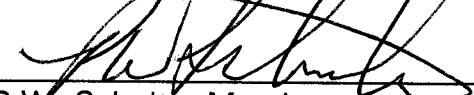
  
Helena Bilodeau  
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

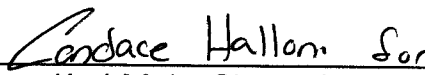
  
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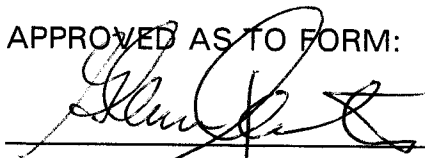
  
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## **Attachment "A"**

### **VADER WATER TREATMENT PLANT BACK UP OPERATOR FUNCTIONS**

- Operate water treatment and intake facilities in accordance with all county, state and federal safety procedures and regulations.
- Sample, test, verify, and chart records required for water quality parameters (pH, turbidity, chlorine, temperature, NTU' s, total organics, bacterial, etc.) and processes at the frequency and using applicable procedures to meet optimization goals and state requirements as directed by the Lewis County Public Works Director or designee.
- Use flow rates, meter readings and monitors to make adjustments to chemical dosages, plant processes (filters, backwashes), flows and operations to meet optimization goals.
- Maintain laboratory equipment, processes, calibration, and certifications needed to validate water quality sample results.
- Monitor and if necessary adjust pumps, motors and meters to mandated safety and service levels.
- Troubleshoot and analyze potential problems with the system and report any problems or concerns to the Lewis County Public Works Director or designee.
- Provide general inspection of the water system equipment and if necessary clean, and perform general maintenance; report problems on the water system equipment, tools and facilities including the water treatment plant, intake pump facility, backwash lagoons, piping and appurtenances in the plant property.
- Competently responds to emergencies with minimal or no direction; perform tasks in the interest of public safety and property protection during emergencies.
- May be asked to conduct fire flows and hydrant testing.